IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Appl. No.	:	10/678,659	Confirmation No. 9764
Applicant	:	Markus Rompel	
Filed	:	October 03, 2003	
Title	:	Drill Tool For A Rotary Hammer	
TC/A.U.	:	3722	
Examiner	:	Talbot, Michael	
Docket No.	:	P-US-AC-1040	

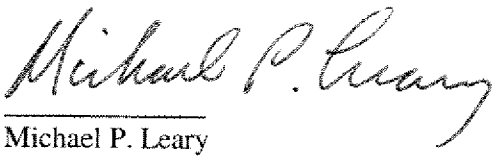
Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL FROM APPEAL

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Panel Decision from Pre-Appeal Brief Review dated September 11, 2007, the Applicant withdraws the application from the Appeal noticed August 9, 2007, files the accompanying Request for Continued Examination, and replies to the Final Action dated March 8, 2007 with the accompanying Amendment:

Respectfully submitted



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